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August 17, 2004

Mr. Vernon A. Williams Secretary Surface Transportation Board Washington, D.C. 20423

Re:

PRR - L592

Dear Mr. Williams:

Enclosed for recordation pursuant to the provisions of 49 U.S.C. Section 11301(a) are four (4) copies of a Memorandum of Sublease and Assignment, dated August 12, 2004, a secondary document as defined in the Board's Rules for the Recordation of Documents.

The enclosed document relates to the documents previously filed with the Board/Commission under Recordation Number 16734.

The names and addresses of the parties to the enclosed document are:

Sublessor/

Assignor:

Consolidated Rail Corporation

1000 Howard Boulevard

Fourth Floor

Mt. Laurel, NJ 08054

Sublessee:

PRR Newco, Inc.

110 Franklin Road, S.E.

Roanoke, VA 24042

Guarantor:

Norfolk Southern Railway Company

110 Franklin Road, S.E.

Roanoke, VA 24042

[Senior Lessor/

Assignee:

C.K. Industries]

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A description of the railroad equipment covered by the enclosed document is:

101 gondolas bearing CR and NYC reporting marks and road numbers set forth on Schedule B to the Memorandum.

A short summary of the document to appear in the index follows:

Memorandum of Sublease and Assignment

Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$30.00 payable to the order of the Surface Transportation Board covering the required recordation fee.

Kindly return stamped copies of the enclosed document to the undersigned.

Very truly yours

Robert W. Alvoro

RWA/anm Enclosures MEMORANDUM OF SUBLEASE AND ASSIGNMENT PRR-L592, by

CONSOLIDATED RAIL CORPORATION ("Conrail") 1000 Howard Boulevard, Fourth Floor Mt. Laurel, New Jersey 08054

RECORDATION NO. 16734-CIEED

PRR NEWCO, INC. (the "Company") 110 Franklin Road, S.E. Roanoke, Virginia 24042

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and

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NORFOLK SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY (the "Railroad") 110 Franklin Road, S.E. Roanoke, Virginia 24042

Conrail is leasing certain units of railroad equipment pursuant to the agreement identified in Schedule A hereto as the "Senior Lease" with the party named in Schedule A hereto as the "Senior Lessor," which agreement was recorded with the Surface Transportation Board and assigned the recordation number shown on said Schedule A.

The parties hereto hereby wish to evidence for the public record the following transactions with respect to such units of the railroad equipment covered by the above-named agreements as are listed in Schedule B hereto:

- 1. The Sublease of Railroad Equipment PRR-L592 between Conrail, sublessor, and the Company, sublessee.
- 2. The assumption of the obligations of the Company as sublessee under the above-named sublease by the Railroad, pursuant to the Assumption Agreement PRR-L592 by the Railroad in favor of Conrail.
- 3. The assignment by Conrail, assignor, of the sublease named in item 1 to the Senior Lessor, assignee, as security for Conrail's obligations under the Senior Lease, pursuant to the Assignment of Sublease PRR-L592 by Conrail in favor of the Senior Lessor.
- 4. The assignment by the Railroad, assignor, of its subleasehold interest under the sublease named in item 1 to CSX Transportation, Inc., assignee, pursuant to the Cross-Assignment of Lease and Agreement among such parties and Conrail, as security for the Railroad's obligations for reimbursement thereunder.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have each caused this memorandum to be duly executed by their respective officers thereunto duly authorized:

CONSOLIDATED RAIL CORPORATION

PRR NEWCO, INC

by William Ray

NORFOLK SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY

by . Will. Roy.

SCHEDULE A SENIOR TRANSACTION L592

Senior Lease:

Railroad Equipment Lease dated as of December 20, 1989, and supplements thereto, as amended, between Chrysler Rail Transportation Corporation (succeeded by C.K. Industries) and Consolidated Rail Corporation.

Recorded with the Surface Transportation Board on January 19, 1990, and assigned recordation number 16732.

Railroad Equipment Lease dated as of December 20, 1989, and supplements thereto, as amended, between MDFC Equipment Leasing Corporation (succeeded by C.K. Industries) and Consolidated Rail Corporation.

Recorded with the Surface Transportation Board on January 19, 1990, and assigned recordation number 16733.

Railroad Equipment Lease dated as of December 20, 1989, and supplements thereto, as amended, between MDFC Equipment Leasing Corporation (succeeded by C.K. Industries) and Consolidated Rail Corporation.

Recorded with the Surface Transportation Board on January 19, 1990, and assigned recordation number 16734.

Senior Lessor:

C.K. Industries

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